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## Sen. Schaefer appointed to influential committees

ATLANTA –State Sen. Nancy Schaefer (R-Turnerville) has been appointed to several important standing Senate Committees by Lt. Governor Casey Cagle for the 2007-2008 term of the Georgia General Assembly. In addition to her re-appointment as a member of the Economic Development and Banking and Financial Institutions committees, Sen. Schaefer will also serve as vice chair of the Retirement Committee and secretary of the Ethics Committee. She also will serve as a member of the influential Senate Appropriations Committee, which is responsible for determining the state budget each year.

"Sen. Schaefer has been a dedicated public servant and her hard work shows by her appointment to these integral Senate Committees," said Lt. Gov. Cagle. "I look forward to working with Sen. Schaefer as we continue to serve together in the state Senate."

"I am very pleased to be on these committees, and I feel that by serving as a member in this capacity I can accomplish great things for my constituents in the 50<sup>th</sup> district," said Sen. Schaefer. "I look forward to working hard throughout the legislative session for the betterment of Georgia."

Sen. Schaefer was officially sworn in as a State Senator representing the 50<sup>th</sup> Senate District on Monday, January 8, the first day of the 2007 session of the Georgia General Assembly.

Sen. Nancy Schaefer represents the 50<sup>th</sup> Senate District which includes Banks, Franklin, Habersham, Hart, Rabun, Stephens and Towns counties and portions of White County. She may be reached by phone at 404-463-1367 or by email at <a href="mailto:nancy.schaefer@senate.ga.gov">nancy.schaefer@senate.ga.gov</a>.